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<ul> <li>(a) They raise new issues that would require further co</li> <li>(b) They raise the issue of new matter (see NOTE below)</li> <li>(c) They are not deemed to place the application in be appeal; and/or</li> <li>(d) They present additional claims without canceling a NOTE: (See 37 CFR 1.116 and 41.33(a))</li> <li>4. The amendments are not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.116</li> </ul>	ow); tter form for appeal by materially re corresponding number of finally re 121. See attached Notice of Non-Co	educing or simplifying the issues for jected claims.					
<ul> <li>Applicant's reply has overcome the following rejection(s</li> <li>Newly proposed or amended claim(s) <u>14</u> would be allow</li> </ul>		nely filed amendment canceling the					
non-allowable claim(s).  7. For purposes of appeal, the proposed amendment(s): a) will not be entered, or b) will be entered and an explanation of how the new or amended claims would be rejected is provided below or appended.  The status of the claim(s) is (or will be) as follows:  Claim(s) allowed: 14.  Claim(s) objected to: 7.  Claim(s) rejected: 1-13 and 15-24.  Claim(s) withdrawn from consideration:							
AFFIDAVIT OR OTHER EVIDENCE							
8. The affidavit or other evidence filed after a final action, because applicant failed to provide a showing of good ar and was not earlier presented. See 37 CFR 1.116(e).	ut before or on the date of filing a find sufficient reasons why the affida	Notice of Appeal will <u>not</u> be entered vit or other evidence is necessary					
The affidavit or other evidence filed after the date of filing a Notice of Appeal, but prior to the date of filing a brief, will <u>not</u> be entered because the affidavit or other evidence failed to overcome <u>all</u> rejections under appeal and/or appellant fails to provide a showing a good and sufficient reasons why it is necessary and was not earlier presented. See 37 CFR 41.33(d)(1).							
10. ☐ The affidavit or other evidence is entered. An explanation REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION/OTHER	on of the status of the claims after o	entry is below or attached.					
11. The request for reconsideration has been considered but does NOT place the application in condition for allowance because:  Clam 7 has a new limitation "pre-strained" filed as original.  12. Note the attached Information Disclosure Statement(s). (PTO/SB/08 or PTO-1449) Paper No(s)							
13.		W. David Coleman Primary Examiner Art Unit: 2823					

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